UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

KATHY LEECH, ET AL.,

No. C 08-01255 JCS

Plaintiff(s),

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DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE A MAGISTRATE JUDGE

REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

TODD SHIPYARDS CORP.,

Defendant(s).

REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

The undersigned party in the above-captioned civil matter hereby declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge for trial and disposition and hereby requests the reassignment of this case to a United States District Judge.

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I am over 18 years of age and not a party to the within action. I am employed in the County of San Francisco; my business address is Yaron & Associates, 601 California Street, 21st Floor, San Francisco, California 94108-2826.

On March 31, 2008, I served the within:

DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE A MAGISTRATE JUDGE AND REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

TO ALL PARTIES AS LISTED ON ECF PACER

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IRIS NISHIMOTO